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SUBJECT: MUZOREWA AND NKOMO RETURN HOME; SITHOLE

REMAINS

REF: A) DAR ES SALAAM 1049; B) DAR ES SALAAM 1092

1. RHODESIAN ANC LEADERS WHO ATTENDED OAU COUNCIL OF MINISTERS IN SESSION, INCLUDING ABEL MUZOREWA, JOSHUA NKOMO, AND JAMES CHIKEREMA, LEFT DAR ES SALAAM APRIL 14 FOR LUSAKA AND HOME. NDABANINGI SITHOLE, WHO HAD BEEN RELEASED FROM DETENTION TO ATTEND SESSION, TOLD NEWSMEN THAT HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER HE WOULD LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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BE DETAINED AGAIN OR NOT, WERE HE TO RETURN TO

RHODESIA. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN GIVEN TASK OF SETTING UP ANC'S NEW OFFICE IN DAR ES SALAAM (REF A), AND THAT HE WOULD DESIGNATE ANC REPRESENTATIVE IN TANZANIA IN COURSE OF THIS WEEK.

2. COMMENT: AS NOTED BY ZAMBIAN FONMIN MWAANGA (REF B), RELEASE OF SITHOLE TO ATTEND OAU SESSION DID NOT HAVE ANY TIME LIMIT. PERPHAS BY KEEPING HIM BUSY OUTSIDE OF COUNTRY, QUESTION OF WHETHER HE TECHNICALLY STILL IN DETENTION CAN SIMPLY BE IGNORED, PERMITTING FURTHER NEGOTIATIONS WITHOUT EITHER SMITH OR ANC HAVING TO RETRACT PUBLICLY FROM PREVIOUS POSITIONS. CARTER

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